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SUBJECT: JAPANESE AID TO INDOCHINA

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1. DURING CONVERSATION WITH DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY STEARNS OCTOBER 5, MIKANAGI, DIRECTOR GENERAL, ECONOMIC COOPERATION BUREAU, FONOFF, MADE, INTER ALIA, THE FOLLOWING POINTS:

(A) RE IBRD INFORMAL MEETING OF DONOR COUNTRIES OF AID TO INDOCHINA: GOJ IS THINKING OF SUGGESTING AT MEETING THAT DONORS FORM ONE CONSULTATIVE GROUP FOR ALL GO INDOCHINA, AND FOUR SUB-GROUPS, ONE FOR EACH COUNTRY. PARTICIPANTS IN PARENT GROUP WOULD HAVE OPTION OF PARTICIPATING IN SUB-GROUP(S) FOR COUNTRIES IN WHICH THEY HAVE INTEREST. LIMITATION OF THIS APPROACH IS OF COURSE WILLINGNESS OF RECIPIENT COUNTRY TO ACCEPT MULTILATERAL AID. MIKANAGI WILL ATTEND PARIS MEETING AS GOJ REPRESENTATIVE.

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(B) RE TIMING OF DIBURSEMENT OF PROMISED \$50 MILLION

AID TO SOUTH VIETNAM: GOJ WILL PROCEED WITH DISBURSEMENT OF \$30 MILLION LOAN PORTION WHEN GOJ IS SURE THAT SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET WITH ITEM FOR \$20 MILLION GRANTS WILL SOON PASS DIET. GOJ HAS NOT DECIDED METHOD OF PROVIDING GRANT ASSISTANCE (SEE PARAS 5-9, REFTTEL) BUT WISHES TO MAKE DISBURSEMENT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE FOLLOWING DIET APPROVAL. GOJ HOPES THAT QUOTE MOST OF UNQUOTE \$50 MILLION CAN BE DISBURSED BY EARLY 1974.

(C) FEOF: FUTURE FEOF OPERATIONS SHOULD BE RESPONSIBILITY OF ANY CONSULTATIVE GROUP ESTABLISHED FOR LAOS.

2. STEARNS' MEETINGS WITH OTHER FONOFF OFFICIALS BEING REPORTED SEPTEL.
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